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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 AND 37 CFR 1.495

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests correction of the following error in the Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 27 CFR 1.495 (hereinafter "Notice) (copy attached with correction marked in red) for the above-referenced case mailed by the USPTO on June 22, 2005.

The Attorney Docket No. is listed as 3003946-0088 (VD1207/US) on the Notice. Kindly change the Notice to reflect our correct Attorney Docket No. of 2003946-0088 (VD1207/US).

Applicant respectfully requests that a corrected Notice be issued as soon as possible. Please charge any fees or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. <u>03-1721</u>.

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The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

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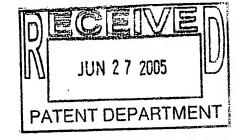
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The following items have been received:

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/28/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/28/2004
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 06/28/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/28/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/28/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 05/04/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/28/2004
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